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Assessing the relevance of systematics in the LiteBIRD experiment

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Scientific Rationale

LiteBIRD -Lite (Light) satellite for the studies of **B**-mode polarization and Inflation from cosmic background Radiation **Detection- Experiment** → measure CMB angular power spectrum in seek of B-modes

CMB anisotropies → **Inflation Hypothesis**

Inflation → **Primordial gravitational waves** → **Tensor Perturbations** → **B-mode polarization**

Polarization anisotropies (Linear polarization)

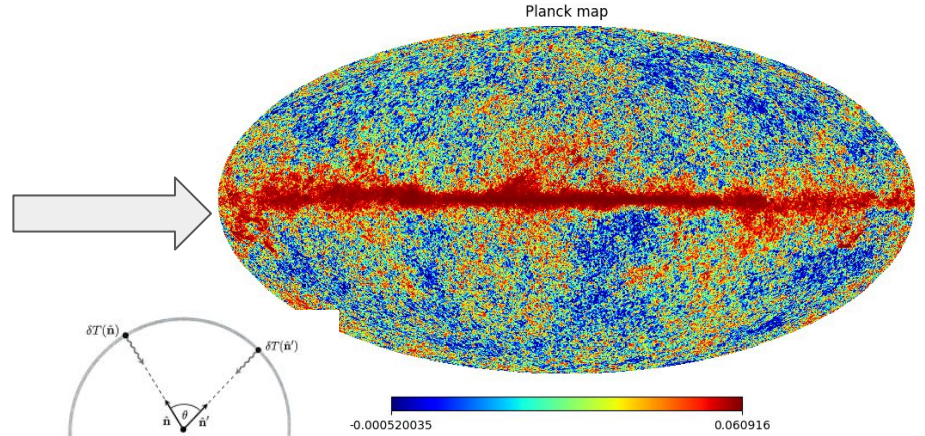
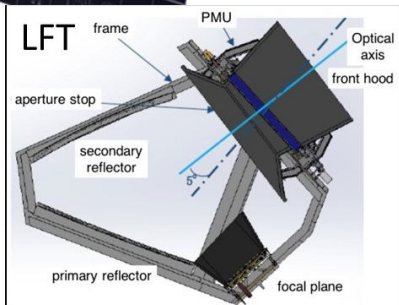
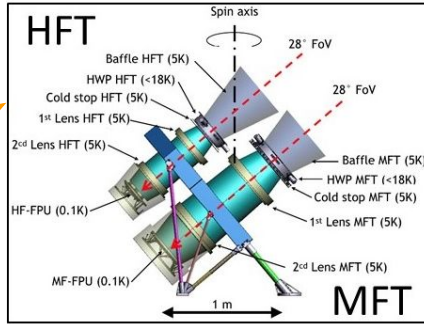
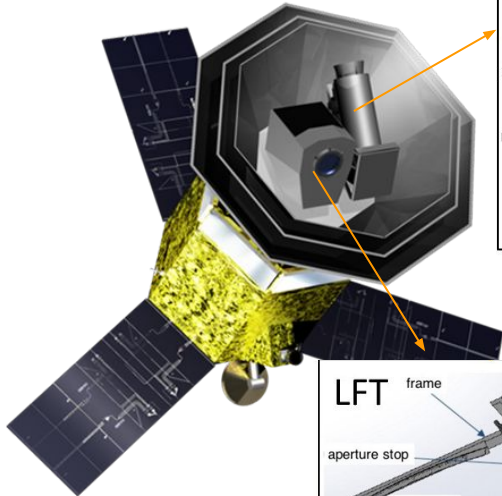


E-modes (symmetric under parity transformation w.r.t. the propagation direction)

B-modes (antisymmetric under parity transformation w.r.t. the propagation direction)

Progress of Theoretical and Experimental Physics,
Volume 2023, Issue 4, April 2023, 042F01,
<https://doi.org/10.1093/ptep/ptac150>

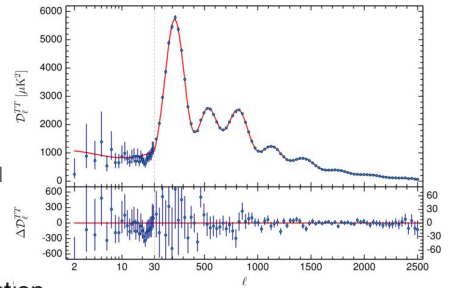
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from Baumann, Cosmology

$$\Theta(\hat{n}) = \frac{T(\hat{n}) - T_0}{T_0}$$

Expansion in spherical harmonic



Build the average of the 2-point correlation function
 $C(\theta) = \langle \Theta(\hat{n})\Theta(\hat{n}') \rangle$

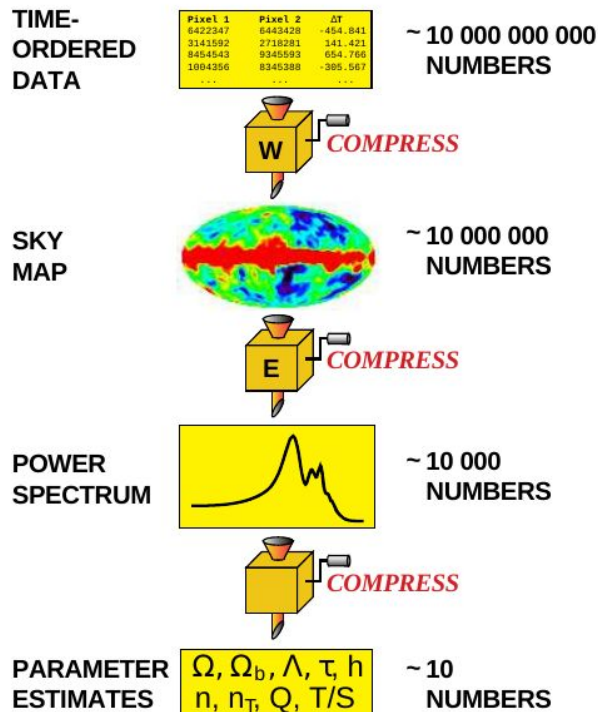
Technical Objectives, Methodologies and Solutions

-Objective: Recover parameters from Time Ordered Data (TOD)

The analysis pipeline has the objective to compress a large amount of data to extract few parameters.

This is an expensive process → simulations with mocked data will help us in preparation of the actual data.

- Addressing the role of systematic effects is crucial in order to define a complete analysis pipeline.



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How to simulate the analysis pipeline? → LiteBIRD Simulation Framework

LiteBIRD simulation pipeline

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Welcome to litebird_sim's documentation!

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The LiteBIRD simulation framework is a Python package that can simulate the data acquisition process for the three instruments that will be present onboard of the LiteBIRD Spacecraft.



TOD Generation and analysis



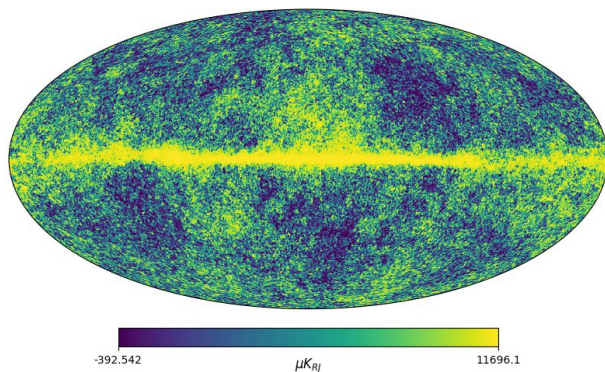
Some systematics, such as crosstalk, need to be added to the framework

<https://litebird-sim.readthedocs.io/en/latest/index.html#>

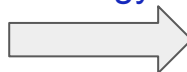
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- **TOD is a time series of data points, indexed and in time order.** → LiteBIRD will sample the sky with a frequency ~ 19 Hz.
- In the actual experiment raw TOD will be used to build a sky map.
- In the Simulation Framework we proceed in the opposite direction

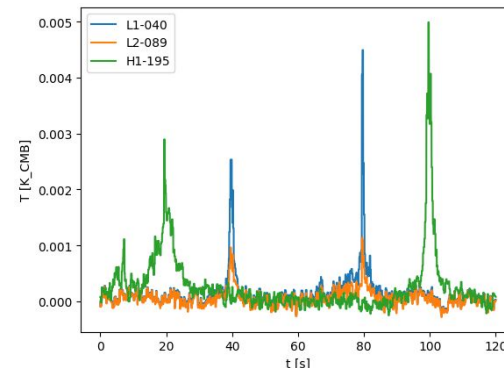
From an injected map



+ Impose a scanning strategy

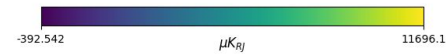
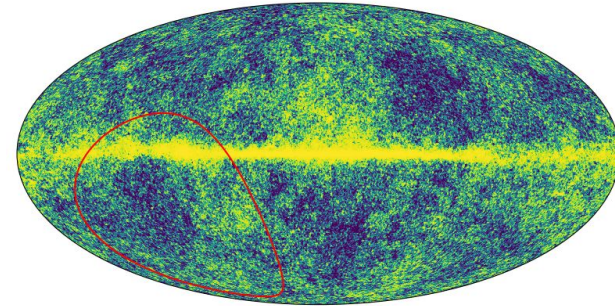
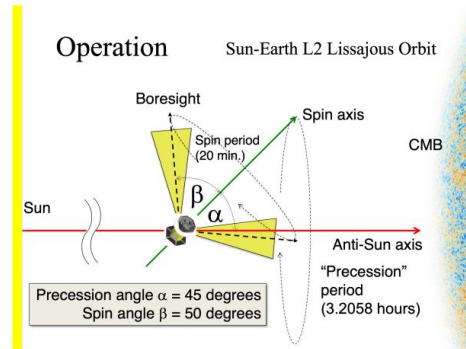


to TOD (numpy arrays)



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Scanning strategy



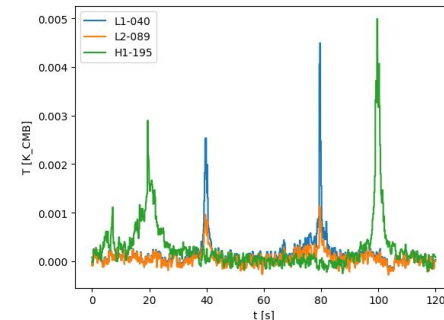
TOD vector

Pointing Matrix ($N_{\text{sample}} \times 3N_{\text{pixel}}$)

noise vector

input Sky map

$$d_t = \sum_p A_{tp} m_p + n_t$$



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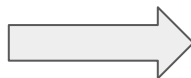
Once the TOD are generated (comprehensive of noise) we shall recover the sky map by “Inverting” the TOD equation .

If only white noise

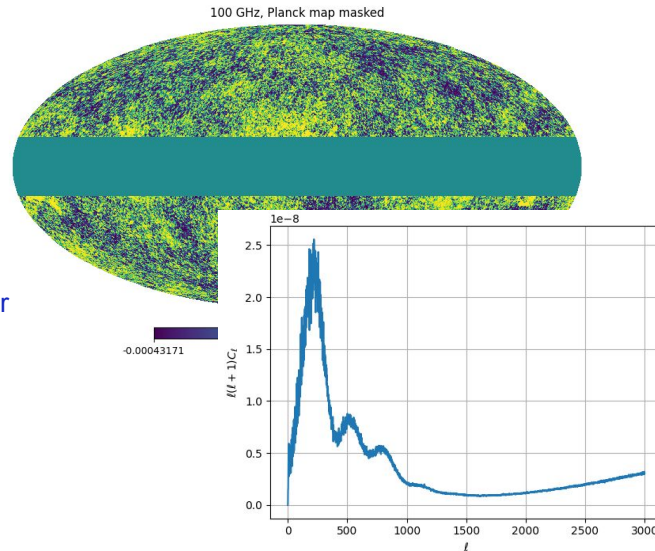
$$\hat{m} = (A^T C_w^{-1} A) A^T C_w^{-1} d$$

with

$$C_w^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sigma^2} & 0 & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sigma^2} & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{\sigma^2} & \dots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots \end{pmatrix}$$



Finally recover the power spectrum from the reconstructed map (healpy library)



Technical Objectives, Methodologies and Solutions

Crosstalk → Different detectors mutually interact with each others
Crosstalk across different frequency channels will mix different amount of foreground components
→ **biased results**

Crosstalk will mix the TOD according to →
$$\tilde{d}^i = \sum_j X^{ij} d^j$$

Large number of detectors (~5000) and
large number of time samples (~ 10^9)
→ Big Data and parallelization problem

Experimentalists can reduce the crosstalk in the design, **our objective** is to address the amount of bias injected into the signal from a given crosstalk matrix.

Our Final Task is to perform simulations with different crosstalk matrices in order to study their impact on the final results.

Timescale, Milestones and KPIs

Milestone 7-8

- Study the literature
- Understand the problem
- Develop a scientific project

Milestone 9 (June 2024-October 2024)

- Study the crosstalk and how to implement it
- Debug



KPIs: simulation reports

Milestone 10 (-August 2025 ?)

- Optimization
- Final Simulations
- Study the results
- Write a Paper
- Release on Github



KPIs: Simulation reports, draft of the paper and/or github package

Accomplished Work, Results

- Study of the literature and framework
- Perform exploratory simulations
- Implement conversion of temperature maps in power units

$$P = \int d\nu \mathcal{G}(\nu) \frac{c^2}{\nu^2} I_x(\nu) = \int d\nu \mathcal{G}(\nu) \frac{c^2}{\nu^2} b(\nu) T_{x,\text{cmb}}(\nu) \longrightarrow P = \int d\nu \mathcal{G}(\nu) \frac{c^2}{\nu^2} I_x(\nu) = T_{x,\text{cmb}}(\bar{\nu}) \int d\nu \mathcal{G}(\nu) \frac{c^2}{\nu^2} b(\nu)$$

$$B_\nu(T) = \frac{2h\nu^3}{c^2} \left(e^{\frac{h\nu}{kT}} - 1 \right)^{-1} \quad b(\nu) = \left. \frac{dB_\nu(T)}{dT} \right|_{T=T_{\text{CMB}}}$$

TOD in power units can be used to study the detector response in order to improve the experimental design

Next Steps and Expected Results

- Study the optimal way to implement crosstalk in the LiteBIRD sim
- Perform first simulations with crosstalk

Next Steps and Expected Results

Thank you for your attention!